



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARKS OFFICE in re the Application of:

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Ciossek et al.

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For: METHODS FOR DIAGNOSIS

AND TREATMENT OF MDK1 SIGNAL TRANSDUCTION

DISORDERS

Examiner:

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I, Julie McKinley, hereby certify that on 3-13-1997, this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Signature

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated November 27, 1996, be extended for a period of one month from February 27, 1997, to and inculding March 27, 1997.

The Fee for this extension is estimated to be \$55.00. Please charge the required fee to Lyon & Lyon Deposit Account No. 12-2475. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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